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## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF OCTOBER 5, 2006

## Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of October 5, 2006, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

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Please amend the case as listed below.